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LABOR LEADERS ON TRIAL

Three Are Charged with Extortion in Chicago.

Chicago, May 11.—Martin D. ("Shin") Madden, president of the Associated Building Trades Union of Chicago and generally referred to as the "boss of labor," was placed on trial yesterday before Judge McSherry, charged with the extortion of \$1,000 from Joseph Kleika for "settling" a strike. M. J. O'Brien, business agent of the Electrical Workers' union, and F. A. Porschot, chairman of the business agents of the general organization, are also defendants in the case. State's Attorney Wayman has made an exhaustive investigation of the records of ventrismen who were in court yesterday. A bitterly contested fight is said to be in prospect. Madden's career as a labor leader has been uniformly successful. He rides in his own automobile and for years his word has been law among the majority of trades unionists of this city.

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BUENOS AYRES STRIKE ENDS

The Conditions in the City Return to Normal.

Buenos Ayres, May 11.—The strike that was inaugurated here early last week as a protest against the action of the authorities in firing upon a gathering of May day demonstrators came to an end yesterday. The men have returned to work and the situation again is normal.

Yesterday's National League Scores.

At Boston, New York 2, Boston 1.
At Brooklyn, Brooklyn 4, Philadelphia 2.

Other National League games postponed on account of rain.

National League Standing.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	13	7	.659
Philadelphia	10	7	.588
Boston	10	8	.556
Chicago	11	9	.550
Brooklyn	8	10	.444
Cincinnati	10	13	.435
St. Louis	9	14	.391
New York	7	10	.412

Yesterday's American League Games.

At St. Louis, Philadelphia 4, St. Louis 1.
At Chicago, Chicago 1, Washington 0.

American League Standing.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Detroit	14	5	.738
New York	11	7	.611
Boston	10	8	.556
Philadelphia	9	8	.529
Chicago	10	10	.500
Cleveland	9	10	.474
Washington	3	12	.204
St. Louis	5	13	.278

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WOULD CURB PORTO RICANS

Taft Sends Special Message to Congress

FINDS GRAVE SITUATION

Politicians There Are Too Anxious for Power—Would Amend Foraker Law; United States Too Liberal.

Washington, May 10.—President Taft yesterday sent to Congress a special message recommending legislation at the present extra session amending the Foraker act under which Porto Rico is governed. The President directs the attention of Congress to affairs on the island, saying particularly stress on what he terms "a situation of unusual gravity" developed through the failure of the Legislature Assembly of Porto Rico to pass the usual appropriation bills, leaving the island without support after June 30 next. Porto Ricans have forgotten the generosity of the United States, the President says, in the desire of certain of the island's political leaders for power, and he adds that the present situation indicates that the United States has gone too far in the extension of political power to the Porto Ricans. He concludes that the absolute power of appropriation should be taken away from "those who have shown themselves too irresponsible to enjoy it."

The President suggests to Congress the wisdom of submitting to the appropriation committees the question of qualifying some of the provisions of the Fundamental Act as to the respective jurisdictions of the Executive council and the Legislature Assembly. But no action of this kind, the President says, should be begun until the Foraker Act be amended so that when the Legislature Assembly shall adjourn without making the appropriation necessary to carry on the Government, sums equal to the appropriations made in the previous year for the respective purposes shall be available for the current revenue and shall be drawn by the warrant of the auditor on the treasurer and countersigned by the governor. Such a provision applies to the Legislatures of the Philippines and Hawaii, and "it has prevented in those two countries any misuse of the power of appropriation."

The message presents an exhaustive economic review of conditions on the island, its trade and its wealth, its improved educational facilities. It points out that "there never was a time in the history of the island when the average prosperity of the Porto Rican has been higher, his opportunity greater, his liberty in thought and action more secure." For the first time in its history, Porto Rico, he says, is living under laws enacted by its own Legislature.

The President points out that if the Porto Ricans desire a change in the form of the Foraker act this is a matter of congressional consideration, dependent on the effect of such a change on real political progress on the island. A change, he says, should be sought in an orderly way and not brought to the attention of Congress by "paralyzing the arm of the existing Government."

The message concludes: "When we, with consent of the people of Porto Rico, assumed guardianship over them and the guidance of their destinies we must have been conscious that a people that enjoyed so little opportunity for education to exercise the full power of self-government, and the present development is only an indication that we have gone somewhat too fast in the extension of political power to them for their own good. The change recommended may not immediately convince those controlling the House of Delegates of the mistake they have made in the extremity to which they have been willing to resort for political purposes, but in the long run it will secure more careful and responsible exercise of the power they have. There is not the slightest evidence that there has been on the part of the governor or of any member of the Executive Council a disposition to usurp authority or to withhold approval of such legislation as was for the best interests of the island or a lack of sympathy with the best aspirations of the Porto Rican people."

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HOT WEATHER NEEDED.

Uncle Joe Says That Alone Will Accelerate the Senators.

Washington, May 11.—Speaker Cannon is of the opinion that it will take a temperature of from 80 and 100 degrees in the shade to get the tariff bill out of the Senate. The speaker was at the White House yesterday, and after talking with the president he said: "If you will tell me when the Senate will pass the tariff bill I will give you a pretty good guess as to when Congress will adjourn. The only thing that can move the previous question in the Senate is hot weather."

Other congressional callers at the White House yesterday expressed the belief that the earliest possible date of adjournment was July 1.

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TO REPAIR JAIL

Orange County to Have a Place Worth Living In.

Chelsea, May 11.—J. H. Andrews of New York, contracting agent of the Pawley Jail company of St. Louis, Mo., was here last week and met Judge Mose and Sheriff Baldwin, two of the commissioners appointed to make the necessary repairs on the jail, and submitted plans and specifications which proved satisfactory and were accepted and the contract will be let as soon as it can be drawn up and sent here to be signed. The work will be commenced at once and the time for completion to be named in the contract will be not later than Oct. 1st. The specifications for the repairs provide that the old stone cells are to be removed and replaced with steel and iron cells. The present kitchen will be remodeled and rearranged. There is to be a new part built on the west side of the present structure, eighteen by twenty-four feet, two stories high with a basement. The basement will be equipped with a steam heating plant to heat the new part, the old jail and the jail house; the first floor of the addition will be arranged for the jailer's office, a pantry and a bathroom and toilet; the second floor will be utilized for the jailer's bedroom and apartments for female prisoners. The jail company propose to use as many local men in the various kinds of work on both the old and new structures as they can, provided they prove efficient.

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"It isn't often that I have faith enough in the medicines put up by other people to be willing to offer to refund the money if it does not cure," said D. F. Davis the druggist to one of his many customers, "but I am glad to sell Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia on that plan."

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"I am still selling the specific at half price, although I cannot tell how long I shall be able to do so. Any person who is subject to constipation, sick headache, dizziness, liver trouble, indigestion or a general played out condition, ought to take advantage of this opportunity."

FEDERAL COURT OPENS.

Trial of Bennington Negligence Case Begun in Rutland.

Rutland, May 10 Session of United States court opened at the federal building in this city yesterday to try the case of W. R. Jones of Granville, N. Y., vs. the H. C. White company of North Bennington. Judge Hand of New York presided. Federal Judge J. L. Martin of Brattleboro, who was disqualified in this case because of business relations, was also in Rutland this afternoon to hear a half dozen naturalization cases.

Mr. Jones brings suit to recover \$5000 on the ground of negligence. He avers that while he was operating a power press for the company on November 1, 1907, some attachments flew off while the press was running at a rapid rate and struck him on the right side, breaking his shoulder and arm. He alleges that the company was negligent in not keeping the press in proper repair. T. W. Moloney of Rutland is counsel for the plaintiff and O. M. Barre of Bennington for the defendant.

HAINS TRIAL IN LAST STAGES.

Will Probably Go to the Jury Today.

Flushing, N. Y., May 11.—When court opened yesterday John F. McIntyre, the chief counsel for Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., on trial for killing William E. Annis, began his final plea to the jury for his client. Mr. McIntyre said his summing up would occupy about four hours. The case may go to the jury to-day. In opening his plea Mr. McIntyre said: "It was the act of God that directed Captain Hains' hand when he took the life of the man who ruined his home. The meeting between Annis and the defendant was accidental; there was no intention to kill."

Taking up the question of Captain Hains' sanity, Mr. McIntyre said: "The burden is now upon the people to convince you beyond reasonable doubt that he was sane. The law does not require us to convince you beyond a reasonable doubt that he was insane."

Picturing the despair of the defendant when he heard the stories that his wife had been unfaithful, Mr. McIntyre asked how the jurors would be affected under similar circumstances. "Is that not an exciting cause sufficient to drive an ordinary man mad?" he asked. Mr. McIntyre said that a man might be prompted to kill as Captain Hains did, because it might seem to him there was no other remedy left. "But I am not pleading the unwritten law in this case," continued Mr. McIntyre. "I cannot invoke that law described in the Old Testament."

District Attorney Dewitt objected to this line of reference and Justice Garretson remarked: "You must confine yourself to the evidence, Mr. McIntyre." The defendant's lawyer took an exception and did not continue to press his reference to a higher law.

CHILD MADE MAD BY DEAD SNAKE.

Companion Wound It Around Youngster's Neck in Play.

Tacoma, May 11.—Raving in his childish voice, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Seelye, around whose neck in a spirit of fun a companion of the child a week ago wound a dead snake, may never recover his reason.

The children were playing near the Seelye home when one of them found the dead snake. Picking it up without being observed by the other children, he quietly approached the Seelye child from behind and suddenly wrapped it around his neck, shouting as he did so that the snake had jumped upon him. The sight of the snake, with the excited yell of the joker and the fact that the child for a moment could not jerk the snake away from his throat, toppled the boy's reason.

DAFFY OVER TACTICS.

Rutland Youth Had Just Joined Co. A, Vermont National Guard.

Rutland, May 11.—William Rose, age 20 years, of this city, has been taken to the insane retreat at Brattleboro. Rose was locked up by Chief of Police T. C. Elsworth, who noticed he had been acting queerly of late. An examination by Drs. M. J. Mangan and A. H. Bellefleur showed the young man to be out of his head. Young Rose has developed the disease within the last two weeks. He recently joined company A, Vermont National Guard, and since that time has been out of his head on the subject of firearms and military tactics. He was arrested in Bennington a few days ago because of his strange actions while in that town.

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PROSECUTING HASKELL AGAIN.

The Land Fraud Case Is Before Grand Jury.

Tulsa, Okla., May 11.—Again yesterday a federal grand jury here took up an investigation of the Muskogee town land fraud cases, involving charges against former Governor Charles N. Haskell and had personal charge of the first investigation, will direct the present one. As previously, those whose names were used by the alleged conspirators in securing these lands have been subpoenaed from Ohio, Michigan and other states to testify before the grand jury. Judge John A. Marshall of Utah, who quashed the Muskogee indictments, was on the bench yesterday when selection of a new grand jury began. Governor Haskell and his attorneys were in court. District Attorney Gregg, Sylvester Rush and Oliver T. Pagen looked out for the government's interest. Attorney Gregg asked that J. F. Haskell be appointed special attorney to assist the prosecution.

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TO BENEFIT CHILDREN.

Playgrounds Association of America at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, May 11.—The annual gathering of advocates of playgrounds was opened here last night, when the Congress of the Playgrounds Association of America was called to order in the Carnegie Music hall. Forty cities are represented. On Friday there will be a great play festival of the children of the Pittsburg schools in Schenley park. Addresses of welcome will be delivered by Mayor V. A. Magee and Miss Beulah Gennard, president of the Pittsburg Playgrounds association. The response will be made by Dr. Luther Hasley Gulick, president of the National Association.

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MAN HOLDS UP STREET CAR.

Gets \$50 from Passengers and Then Escapes.

Milwaukee, May 11.—A street car was held up by a masked robber early yesterday at the entrance of Washington park. He secured \$50.

A shot was fired at him, but he escaped. He is supposed to be the man who perpetrated two similar robberies recently, in one wounding the conductor, who resisted.

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An Odd Old Custom.

When a new associate of the Royal Academy is elected some of the academy models dash off with the news, and the first to arrive with the glad tidings at the house of the fortunate artist is by custom rewarded with a guinea. It says much for the honesty of artists' models as a class that no case is known of one of them having obtained this guinea by false pretenses from some obscure and wealthy amateur.—London Punch.

Polar Expeditions.

The first expedition to the south pole took place in 1577.

A Vanished Lake.

Lake Vernagator, a beautiful sheet of water, the pride of a valley in the Tyrol, vanished in a night. Next morning the bed was bare mud. There was no earthquake on this occasion. The lake quietly disappeared as a bath empties when the plug is pulled out.

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